WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

The Week's Doings at the National Capital

A NAVAL SQUABBLE.

Commodore Walker, who in the eight years he has been at the head of the Bureau of Navigation of the Navy Department, has kept a large portion of the officers in hot water and succeeded in making himself thoroughly disliked by them, is appropriately signalizing his departure from the office by a row of unusual dimensions. Having to go to sea at last, he wanted to fix up a "good berth" for himself, and so he picked out the "best billets" in the Navy; that is, he wanted to be assigned to the command of the North Atlantic Squadron, which is the duty most coveted by the higher officers serving at sea, and have the finest ship in the Navy-the new craiser "Chicago"-for his flagship. But the veteran Rear-Admiral Gherardi was recently assigned to that desirable position, and naturally desires to hold it until he shall be retired, which will not be a great while, as he began his service 43 years ago. Walker thinks that Gharardi ought to be satisfied with the command of the European Squadron, with a ship inferior to the "Chicago" as his flagship, but the Rear-Admiral declines to play second fiddle to the junior Commodore on the list. Secretary Tracy has offered to compromise by putting Commodore Walker in command of the European Squadron, with the "Chicago" as his flagship, but so far the Commodore has declined to accept the proposition. Any of the other Commodores, who all outrank Walker, would think this a very pleasant assignment, as it involves a cruise through the historic Mediterranean, but Walker apparently wants all that is to be got, wherever he is. The other officers say that he labors under the idea that the Navy is his personal property.

EX-SENATOR SABIN'S DIVORCE. If people's left ears burn when anything unwhere Mrs. Sabin is surprisingly well liked by | was given a commission as Captain. He served all sorts of people, the pretended cause of di- as a Member of Congress several terms. vorce is angrily scorned. It is not possible, everyone says, that she could have been the Merchandize, port of New York. her, during the season, somewhere every day | veteran of the war, and is an old steamboat | Hastings. and evening, and never did she show the Captain. slightest symptoms of undue indulgence in liquors. She was always and everywhere the sapers, in the hope of mitigating the public | from Lafayette judgment against him, has not placed his case

MORE STEEL CRUISERS FOR THE NAVY. The Navy Department has issued advertisements inviting proposals for the construction of two steel cruisers of 3,000 tons displacement, under the authority conveyed by the appropriation act of the last Congress. The contractor is required to guarantee a minimum of 19 knots for four consecutive hours, and there is a bonus of \$50,000 provided for every additional quarter knot, while a deduction of a like sum will be made for each quarter-knot deficiency. The vessels are to be completed in two years, and, exclusive of the speed bonus, their cost is not to exceed \$1,000,000 each. The contractors are allowed to bid for the construction of the hull and machinery according to their own designs or to accept those furnished by the Department.

The new vessels will be about the size of the Atlanta, but will be much more formidable vessels; will be better armed, of higher speed, and will show an advancement of six or more years in naval construction. The dimensions of these cruisers will be-length, 300 feet; breadth, 42 feet; draft, 18 feet; displacement, 3,100 tens; full coal capacity, 628 tens. The armament will consist of one six-inch and one four-inch rapid-fire guns (the latest idea in naval armament) and eight machine guns. The ships will be two-mast schooner-rigged, but will carry sail enough to steady them in a

WHERE OUR BATTLE-FLAGS WILL PROBABLY REST.

Gen. Meigs, the architect of the Pension building, has addressed a letter to Commissioner of Pensions Tanner, suggesting that the flags borne in battle by the soldiers of the United States and those captured by them in war be hung around the walls of the Pension Office building. He says also that the intent of all the acts of Congress regarding the captured flags is that they shall be displayed in some proper public place. The Commissioner has replied to Gen. Meigs that he will assist in this project if the Pension building be made waterproof. The roof new leaks badly in several places. This is so much more desirable a proposition for the disposal of the captured flags than was recommended by the last Administration, that every veteran in the country will, without doubt, second the motion, and the Eags captured will remain as evidences of the valor of the United States soldier for all time to come.

A SPORTSMAN AND CATERER.

Comrade John M. Harmon, 6th Mass., but | who has for 20 years been a clerk in the Adjutant-General's Office in this city, is a character. He is one of the most enthusiastic sportsmen in the country, and is never so happy as when out with his rod and reel or with his gun, unless it is when entertaining a lot of his old com- against them, as is required by the laws of New highway instead of being devoted for the homerades at his own table with a clam chowder, calf's-head stew, Boston baked beans, or some other delicacy, which he prepares himself for the enjoyment of these old friends and comrades. He knows how to cook everything imaginable, and when he went into Government service the public lost a born caterer, one who could have made a name equal to Delmonico. "Jack," as his friends call him, can throw a trout line, catch a bass, or shoot quail or woodcock with the best hunters; and when he bags | that the Coroner's jury had been influenced by | their hooks, and they made such rapid progress his game has the peculiar knowledge of how to cook it so that it is most palatable.

PATRIOTIC ORDER OF THE SONS OF AMERICA met in National Encampment in this city on had a ticket for Liverpool, England, in his to tear down all unsafe buildings in the town Tuesday. A large number of delegates from pocket, and was making his way there as fast and burn the wreckage; and this will be done all parts of the country were present. Com- as possible. Burke is an athletic-locking young as soon as Philadelphia engines are on hand missioner Douglass, of the District of Columbia, man of 25 years of age, and has a scar on the to protect property which is safe. delivered the address of welcome, which was left side of his face. He is a determined-lookresponded to by the National President, Mr. | ing fellow, and appears as if he had nerve suf-George P. Smith, of Chicago, Ill. This closed | ficient to carry out the details of the foul deed the public exercises, for the Encampment im- of which he is suspected. He will resist to the using the money contributed by generous mediately went into secret session for the elec- bitter end all efforts at extradition, but the au- donors for the benefit of individual sufferers tion of officers for the next two years and for | thorities have already commenced proceedings, | for the purpose of starting men in business the transaction of other business. The session and think he will surely be brought back with might be questioned, particularly if that busiwill last three days, and a grand parade of the in a week. Burke is supposed to be one of the Order will take place on Friday next. The Williams brothers, who rented the Carlson cotuniform of the Order, to be worn in the parade, tage where the Doctor was killed, and also hired consists of a black Prince Albert suit, plumed | the furniture with which it was furnished. The chapeau, red, white, and blue sash, the blue | Chief of Police of Chicago says there is very across the breast being studded with silver little doubt but that Burke is the man they stars. A white belt, with silver trimmings, want. and a sword complete the uniform. MES. HARRISON'S VIEWS.

be made public characters." AFTER SOMETHING FRESH AND TENDER. The Philadelphia Record irreverently declares that the Cape May mosketos are anxious

to get a nip of Baby McKee. And it represents them as singing in sweet refrain: "I am waiting, only waiting, I am waiting for thee,

My own, my own darling, Sweet Baby McKee. A PROPER IMPROVEMENT.

A story is told of seven maiden sisters, wealthy and well educated, but not so young as they once were, who reside together in an elegant home in this city. Recently a sewer was built on the street. "And do you know?" said one of the sisters, "they put a man-trap got noddings so sthoud like Limburger cheese!

NEW APPOINTERS. The President has made the following appointments during the week: Archie E. Baxter, to be United States Marshal for the North-

ern District of New York. He is a well-known lawyer of Elmira. He entered the army at the outbreak of the war at the age of 17, and took an active part in the last campaign, and made quite a reputation as a stump speaker. Edgar H. Shook, of Detroit, Mich., to be Su-

John Feland, to be Collector of Revenue, Second District of Kentucky. He was a Union soldier during the war, and has since engaged in the practice of law. He has held several

John J. Landram, to be Collector of Internal ticket from that district.

one-legged soldier, and was removed from a an order to the soldiers not to admit anyone subordinate position in the Custom-house by | to Johnstown proper without an order. the Collector, who is now removed to make a

Earl M. Rogers, to be Collector of Internal Revenue, Second District of Wisconsin. He greening wars are preparing. was a brave soldier of the late war, and was groceries were opened on Thursday morning, appointed Adjutant General of the State by Gov. Rusk, which position he filled with entire

Robert Smalls, to be Collector of Customs for the District of Beaufort, S. C. Gen. Smalls is a colored man, and he captured the rebel steamer 'Planter" and run her out of the harbor of Charleston. He served as a pilot on the Charleston. He served as a photo on monitor "Keokuk" in the famous attack on Charleston, April 7, 1863, and was still a Pilot eral that they would be established in business eral that they would be established in business. 1863, he guided the steamer he had captured up the Sound with supplies for the Federal troops, then on Morris Island, under Gen. Q. A. Gilpleasant is being said about them, the auditory | more. While passing Secessionville, on James apparatus on the sinister side of Ex-Senator Island, a terrific fire was opened on the steamer Sabin's head must have been in a state of and its Captain deserted her. Mr. Smalls took violent conflagration ever since the announce- charge of the vessel and brought her safely to ment of his divorce. Here in Washington, | the Federal troops, for which act of bravery he

Donald McLean, to be General Appraiser of victim of alcoholization to the extent alleged and yet no one ever suspect it. People met of Steam Vessels at St. Paul, Minn. He is a

VETERANS IN THE CITY.

Jesse L. Talmon, 5th Ind. Cav., Lafayette, same gentle, refined, considerate, lovable Tenn. Comrade Talmon was a loyal citizen of between 3,000 and 4,000. It was generally given woman. If, they say, since leaving Washing-ton, physical ailments have required the use of Union lines with great difficulty and danger, had a population of 35,000 good people, but this opiates and so fastened the morphine or chloral and enlisted in the 5th Ind. Cav. He was is a very high estimate, and conservative people habit upon her, this was no reason for diverce, and the foot, and the wound put the population between 25,000 and 28,000.

any more than cancer or consumption would still runs, so that he is obliged to walk on Col. Rogers, who has charge of the registration, have been. A publication by Mr. Sabin in the | crutches. He lives on his farm, about six miles | states that from all he can learn the population

Comrade W. L. Snell, Co. D. 6th Vt., Chicago, | counts for 10,000 people supposed to be lost. in any better light. He will have to give Ill. Comrade Snell lost his arm in the Wilder- The reports sent out from here to the effect that much better reasons than he has done yet to | ness. He is now a successful lawyer, and has | 12,000 to 15,000 people were missing were based excuse himself in the eyes of the Washington | his office at 112 Clark street. He came to | upon the supposition that there were 35,000 in-Washington to attend the National Convention | habitants in these boroughs. The reports as of the Patriotic Sons of America, with which | to the number of bodies recovered at different he is prominently identified.

Goff, 3d Mich., Cadillac, Mich. These comrades | sent in by different persons, and these are also had been to Gettysburg to attend the unvail- conflicting, and put the number of bodies reing of the Michigan monuments.

George W. Owen, 4th Mich. Comrade Owen served from first to last in the 4th Mich., and have been recovered. took part in every engagement in which that gallant regiment participated. He is now editor and proprietor of the Shiawassee American, a flourishing paper of Owosso.

Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief Joseph Hadden. Comrade Hadden represented the National officers of the G.A.R. at the unvailing of the Michigan monuments at Gettysburg, loan from the State Treasurer. At the concluand after discharging that duty came to Washington to attend to some business for comrades. No officer of the Order has been more zealous and energetic than he since his induction into office. He has traveled hundreds of miles, attended Campfires, Reunions, and Encampments all over the eastern part of the country, lature makes an appropriation to repay them. and spared neither time nor expense to be present wherever he thought he could advance the cause. His work has been intelligent and effective. His bluff, hearty, sailor manner and strong common sense have pleased the com-

DR. CRONIN'S MURDERERS.

A Sumber of Prominent Persons Arrested. The Coroner's inquest in the Cronin case in Chicago has closed with a verdict implicating Alexander Sullivan, ex-President of the National League, as well as several other persons connected with the Order known as the Clanma-Gael. Three of these persons had been | CHICAGO WITHDRAWS A \$27,000 CONTRIBUTION. previously arrested and were in durance in Chicago, and two others have been arrested in New York city, and a requisition for them sent | gram from Mayor Creiger on Thursday last. to the Governor of New York. Mr. Sullivan's | which said the fund which had been subscribed arrest was the last to take place. He spent the | by Chicagoans was for the immediate relief of night of Wednesday last behind the bars of the | the suffering living, and for the committee to Chicago jail, but on Thursday a writ of habeas | consider this fact. Whereupon the committee corpus was issued by Judge Tulley, and argued | went to Treasurer Thompson and withdrew at great length. The Judge reserved his de- the Chicago contribution, stating that they

A special grand jury was impaneled, and immediately commenced an investigation of

are implicated with Sullivan in the murder of money, and did so. On their arrival in Chicago, Dr. Cronin; but Gov. Hill refused the applica- they said, they will give to the press their reation on the grounds that the application was sons for this action. They gave inquiring not accompanied by an indictment, and that reporters to understand that they were disno proof whatever had been made showing gusted at the way in which the money sent that the accused are guilty of the crime charged | there had been perverted to clean up a State York and all other States. There is but little | less and suffering poor of Johnstown. doubt but that an indictment will be found against all the men mentioned in the Coroner's | is gradually being cleared away. Dynamite is verdict, and the extradition will take place | the only thing which has any effect upon it, shortly, although it is understood that the and on Saturday 150 cartridges were put into

ontside sentiment. was boarding an Eastern express train. He sible to get at them. It has also been decided

The Postmaster at Ravenswood, W. Va.

Several comrades have written to us express-Mrs. Harrison recently said to a friend: "It | ing dissatisfaction that the postmastership at | may be that after a time I shall get used to the Ravenswood is not taken from the present inunpleasant features of my present position, but | cumbent, who is the editor of a bitter soldierjust now I am not in a contented frame of mind. hating paper, was a rebel during the war, and I don't like the White House as a residence, I had a brother killed in the rebel army. The detest the publicity which pertains to our home | comrades think that the office should be given life, and I regret that I am obliged to see so to some disabled Union soldier, of whom there little of my husband. Is it not absurd that my are several competent to fill the place. Among father and the babies should be gossiped about | these is J. F. Stone, a loyal West Virginian, all over the country? My husband is President, | who enlisted early in 1861 in Co. F. 4th W. Va., but that is no reason why the rest of us should | re-enlisted in 1864 and served until the end of the war, and was severely wounded in battle.

> Resulon of Monocacy Survivors. It is contemplated holding a Reunion of the survivors of the battle of Monocacy, on the field where the engagement took place, on its next auniversary-July 9. Those who desire to participate can get further information by addressing F. W. Wild, 213 North Carroll street, Baltimore, Md., or Charles H. Evans, 1311 Riggs street, Washington, D. C.

National Pride Rampant. Frenchman (proudly): You have not in ze German empire anything so tall as ze great Eiffel tower. German (indignantly): No, und you don't

-Jewellers' Weekly. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

JOHNSTOWN RECOVERING. It is Believed that 4,000 Will Cover the loss of

The State has assumed control of the Conemaugh Valley, Adjt.-Gen. Hastings being in command, and the first real work under the served throughout the war, notwithstanding a new order of things began on Thursday. About severe wound received at Resaca, Gs. He has served as Clerk of Chemung County, and in Johnstown early in the morning. The weather was warm and sultry, and the stench from the 1882 was nominated for Congress on the Republican ticket, but failed of election. He decaying bodies was almost unbearable. During the morning a crowd of loafers gained entrance to the town and tried to inaugurate a strike among the workmen. Some workmen perintendent of Supplies for the Postoffice were already dissatisfied because new bosses had been appointed over them, and only wanted a little encouragement to strike.

DRIVING THE LOAFERS. James McKnight, of Pittsburg, one of the State contractors, got wind of the trouble brewing, and went among the men and informed them that he would have no kicking, and that Revenue, Sixth District of Kentucky. He is a all those who wanted to quit would have to do native of the State, and served with credit in | so immediately, and about 100 of them left; but the Mexican war and was a Union soldier in the | the loafers remained around, and McKnight civil war. He is a lawyer, and has been twice | went to Gen. Hastings and demanded proteca candidate for Congress on the Republican | tion for his men. A detachment of militia from the 14th regiment were detailed to the G. P. Bray, to be Collector of Customs for the Districts of Salem and Beverly, Mass. He is a to work. This caused Gen. Hastings to issue

AN AWAKENING OF BUSINESS MEN. The business men of Johnstown are preparand the probabilities are that inside of a week

a hundred stores will be in operation. The first decisive step toward putting the business of Johnstown on its old footing was made on Friday, when some 200 merchants who had survived the flood, many of them on long credit. Both Pittsburg and Philadelphia whosesale dealers have offered these stricken merchants this business courtesy, and the prospects for a renewal of business is therefore brightening.

Resolutions were adopted to the effect that each merchant and business man in Johnstown use his best efforts to restore by his own exer-tions his property and that of the community at large. Thanks were also tendered to Gen. Hastings for his kindly actions. When this clause was being read a half dozen men wanted to add to it, "and denounce Gov. Beaver," but the action was quickly frowned down by Gen.

LATEST ESTIMATED LOSS. The general opinion among well-posted peo-

ple in the valley is that the loss of life will be only amounted to about 25,000, and this acpoints along the flooded districts are very con-Capt. S. Brennan and Comrade W. H. H. flicting. Supposed official reports have been covered anywhere from 1,100 to 1,800. Consequently there is no telling how many bodies

> THE MONEY PROVIDED. Gov. Beaver held a consultation on Thursday in Philadelphia with Mayor Fitler, Messrs. Dolan, Reeves, Huber, and Ogden, representing the Citizens' Relief Committee. The object of the Governor's visit was to know how many sion of the session the Governor said: "There is no need now for us trying to get signers to an indemnity bond, for Philadelphia has again come to the rescue, and a number of her banking institutions have offered \$1,000,000 without security and free from all tax until the Legis-

The only security they have is my word." BUFFALO BILL'S CONTRIBUTION. Hon. William F. Cody, better known as Buffalo Bill," gave an entertainment in Paris, rades everywhere, and his tactful management | France, in aid of the Johnstown sufferers, which has strengthened the bonds of fraternity in the | netted \$2,000. Among the people present were such notables as the Prince and Princess of Wales, Prince Albert Victor and the Princesses Louise, Victoria, and Maud, Minister Reid and wife, and Mrs. Levi P. Morton, wife of the Vice-President, besides a long list of notables from this country as well as from all parts of Europe. The "Wild West" show never before performed before such a distinguished audience, and everybody was gratified.

Three members of the Chicago Relief Committee who were in Pittsburg received a telewould take the money back with them and hold it until it was definitely settled whether Gov. Beaver would take charge and remove the debris at the State of Pennsylvania's ex-The Governor of Illinois made a requisition | pense. They were requested to leave the funds upon Gov. Hill of New York for the extradition | sealed and placed in a vault, only to be opened of John G. Maroney and Charles McDonald, who upon their order, but they preferred to take the

THE DRIFT AT THE STONE BRIDGE Clan-na-Gael are working hard to prevent it. | it, and the noise of the explosion was heard for Sullivan was released on bail by Judge Tulley | miles. The engineer in charge of the work on Friday, the amount being fixed at \$20,000, expects to have everything out of the way in a which was promptly furnished by four well- very short time. A number of lumbermen known citizens of Chicago. The Judge held | were engaged in clearing the wreckage with that more will be immediately employed. Martin Burke, alias Delaney, was arrested in | Everything is being done to get out the bodies Winnipeg. Manitoba, on Monday night, as he | which are in the wreck, but as yet it is impos-

GOV. BEAVER'S PROCLAMATION. Gov. Beaver issued a proclamation on Friday, in which he says: "The propriety of ness should prove remunerative hereafter. There can be little doubt, however, that the most useful and judicious expenditure at the present moment for the entire people of the region would be a fund which could be used for putting up simple board shanties, in which business might be commenced by the courageous business men of Johnstown, who have signified their intention of remaining where they are and assisting in building up the ruins, which speak so eloquently in their behalf. Credit is tendered them to any extent by merchants in our great trad ng centers. What they need is simply a cover for their goods

and wares. "It is understood that the people expect to consolidate their government under a city charter, and that legal steps will be taken looking toward this end. Until this is done streets cannot be laid out, grades cannot be established, the work of permanent rebuilding cannot

"The problem which confronts the people of Johnstown and vicinity, and in the solution of which their well-wishers everywhere must be deeply interested, is the restoration as early as possible of the usual channels of trade and the of the leading French novelists, and has all his machinery of supply and demand. The mer- | beauties of style and absorbing interest of plot chants and tradespeople must be encouraged to begin the work of rehabitation at once. If their property had been destroyed by fire they would probably have the insurance upon which to begin business. Under present conditions, however, they have simply and absolutely

A storm moves at the rate of thirty-six miles an hour, and that is the speed of the worldknown Golden Gate Special on the Union Pa-

The 20th annual Reunion of the Society of the Army of the Potomac opened on Wednesday, June 12, with meetings of the various corps. The following was the result of the elections in the various corps:

First Corps—Gen. R. R. Dawes, President; Charles J. Chatfield, Vice-President of First Division; Secretary of War Redfield Proctor, Vice-President of Second Division; Charles L. Coon, Vice-President of Third Division; Gen. Wainwright, Vice-President of Artillery Corps; Capt. J. M. Andrews, Recording Secretary; H. O. Clark, Corresponding Secretary; Florence Don-ahue, Treasurer; J. H. Stine, Historian.

Second Corps—President, John D. Billings; Vice-Presidents, O. D. Thatcher, Minnesota; Dr. Wm. Carroll, Philadelphia; H. C. Duryee, Goshen, N.Y.; Secretary and Treasurer, Thomas H. Mallon, New York. Executive Committee, George W. Hopper, New York; John Finn, Characters such as Augustine of Hippo, Guth-Ohio; G. W. Wright, New York; W. D. Robin-Iac of Croyland, Thomas A-Becket, Henry VIII son, New Jersey. Fifth Corps—President, Gen. Fitz-John Por-

ter; Vice-Presideut, Gen. P. A. Oliver; Secretary and Treasurer, Gen. F. T. Locke. General Butterfield presented Gen. Porter with a solid gold corps badge, set with diamonds, as a mark of appreciation of his vindication in his late unpleasantness.

Sixth Corps—President, Gen. Frank Wheaton; Vice-Presidents, Col. W. B. French, Col. William McKellip, Capt. F. Kauffman; Treasurer, Col. Samuel Truesdell; Recording Secretary, Capt. George B. Fielder; Corresponding Secretary, Lieut. F. Buckalew.

urer; Gen. C. H. Barney, of New York.

Twelfth Corps—President, W. F. Fox; Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. J. J. H. Love; Vice-Presidents, Gen. Lewis R. Stegman and Capt.

Nineteenth Corps-President, Col. Richard B. Irwin; First Vice-President, Gen. George L. Andrews; Second Vice-President, Col. O. W. Leonard; Third Vice-President, Capt. John W. Handren; Fourth Vice-President, Maj. J. Lang-don Ward; Secretary, Thomas Odell; Treasurer, William H. Jewell.

Cavalry Corps-President, Gen. S. E. Chamberlain; Vice-President, Brig.-Gen. L. G. Estie; Secretary, L. A. Barley; Treasurer, G. I. White-

The public meeting of the society took place in the Park Rink at 1:30 p.m. Nearly 3,000 ing. There were hearty cheers and waving of flags as the veterans took their seats. Buglers stationed at different parts of the building sounded the assembly, and the band responded with "John Brown's Body," "Marching Through Georgia," and other war-time songs, the audience joining in the chorus with en-

At 2 o'clock Maj.-Gen. Joshua L. Chamberlain called the meeting to order. Prayer was Hartford, of Orange, welcomed the society in the name of the citizens of Orange.

Governor Green, of New Jersey, then rose and said: "As the Chief Magistrate of the State of New Jersey and in its name I welcome you, gentlemen of the Society of the Army of the Potomac, within its borders. I welcome you to these hills, where your great commander lived and died. I welcome you to the State which made him its Chief Magistrate."

Gen. Chamberlain, in response, expressed the thanks of the society for the welcome it had received, and recalled the fact that when the skies were dark, the newspapers full of gloomy forebodings, and even the prominent members of the war party in Washington were showing signs of fear, it was the loyalty and courage and devotion of the Army of the Potomac that made it the savior of the country.

The speaker of the day, Cortlandt Parker, of Newark, N. J., then delivered the oration. men were willing to guarantee the \$1,000,000 | He held the attention of the large audience for an hour and a half.

The business session of the society followed. Portland, Me., was selected as the place for holding the next year's Reunion. Gen. John G. Parke was elected President, and the following list of Vice-Presidents were chosen: First Corps, Gen. E. B. Fowler; Second Corps, Gen. Joseph W. Kay; Third Corps, Gen. C. H. T. Collis; Fifth Corps, Maj. B. F. Rittenhouse, U. S. A.; Eighth Corps, Col. George A. Bernard: Ninth Corps, Maj. J. B. Horner; Tenth Corps, Gen. Alfred H. Terry; Eleventh Corps, Gen. O. O. Howard; Twelfth Corps, Capt. A. M. Matthews; Eighteenth Corps, Gen. Geo. M. Guion; Nineteenth Corps, Gen. E. L. Molineux; Signal Corps, Capt. O. E. Boetticher; Cavalry Corps, Gen. Russell A. Alger. The other officers chosen were: Recording Secretary, Gen. Horatio C. Kiug, Corresponding Secretary, Gen. George H. Sharpe; Treasurer, Col. Samuel Truesdell.

The parade of the First Brigade N. G. N. J. through the principal streets of Orange and East Orange followed. They were reviewed by Gov. Green, of New Jersey, and nearly all the prominent officers and ex-officers were present, and made a fine display.

In the evening there was a splendid banquet given the veterans by the citizens of Orange at the new Armory, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion. It was a jolly affair, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the old soldiers. The toasts were of a patriotic nature, and many fine responses were made.

On Thursday the society visited West Point, N. Y., on the steamer Sirius. There was an enthusiastic meeting on the boat, and a reception was held at the Point by Gen. Parke, the newlyelected President of the society. The meeting was one of the most successful and enjoyable ever held by the Society of the Army of the

Mourning in Ireland.

A train containing an excursion party from Armagh, Ireland, was wrecked near that city on Wednesday last, and over 72 bodies have been taken from the wreck, while over 100 passengers received severe injuries. The party left Armagh in two trains, containing 1,200 persons, scholars in the Methodist Sundayschool, with their teachers and relatives. The excursion was to Warren Point, a watering place at the mouth of Newry River, in County Down. The accident occurred at a point where the trains had to ascend a grade on a bank 50 feet high. The first train ascended the grade without trouble. The second section attempted the ascent, but the weight of the train proved too great for the engine. Several cars became detached and ran back toward the level track, but before they reached it they came in collision with an ordinary train from Armagh, which was proceeding at a good rate of speed. The excursion cars were campletely wrecked. Hosts of volunteers were soon at hand, and the dead and wounded were taken from the wreck and carried down the bank. Medical aid was called for, and a special train from Belfast brought to the scene 20 surgeons from that city and a number of medical men from other places between Belfast and Armagh. All the shops in Armagh were closed and the people are in general mourning. Most of those killed were about 20 years of age. The disaster is said to have been caused by mismanagement on the part of the railroad officials.

RECENT LITERATURE.

VERE, THE LEADING LADY. By "One of the Profession." Published by Rand, McNally & Co., Chicago. Price 25 cents. An interesting story of love behind the scences, with the leading lady of a theatrical company as the heroine and a journalist for

THE LAST OF THE THORNDIKES. By James R. Gilmore (Edmund Kirke). Published by the People's Publishing Co., New York. Price 50

Mr. Gilmore is the author of "Among the Pines," "The Rearguard of the Revolution," and other entertaining works of fiction. His books tell of important historical episodes in agreeable narrative form, and are at once instructive and interesting.

ANTOINETTE; OR, THE MARLPIT MYS-TERY. By George Ohnet. Published by J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia. Price 50 cents. This is a translation of the latest story of one and narration.

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broad columns, and is very finely illustrated, and maps of the countries treated also embellish it. It is a most valuable addition to a li-

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> treated by masters in their specialties. Publications Received. The comrades of the Department of Connecticut have gotten out the proceedings of their 22d annual Encampment in excellent shape in a pamphlet of 130 pages, handsomely printed and

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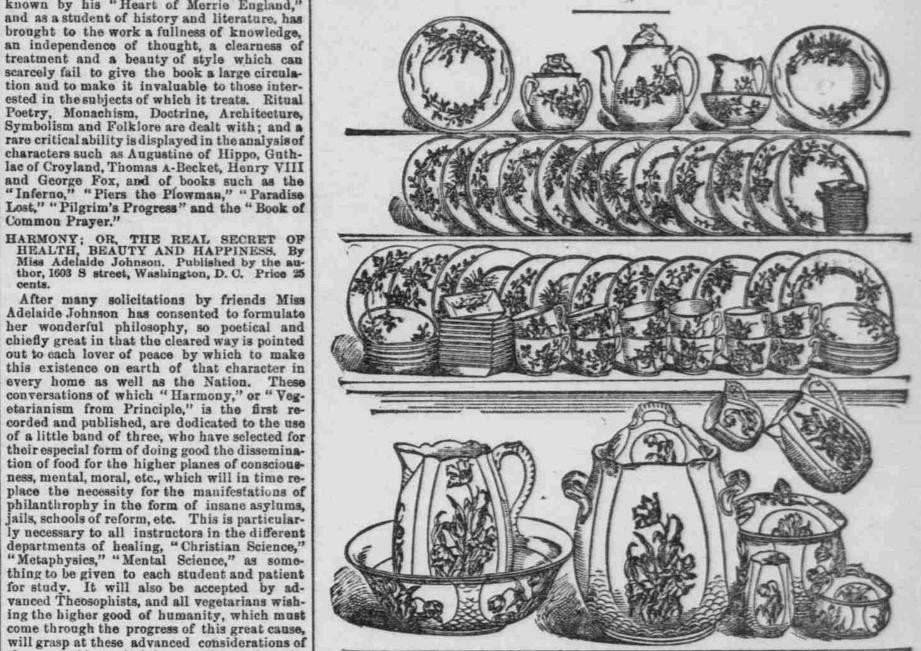
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An Elegant CHAMBER SET.

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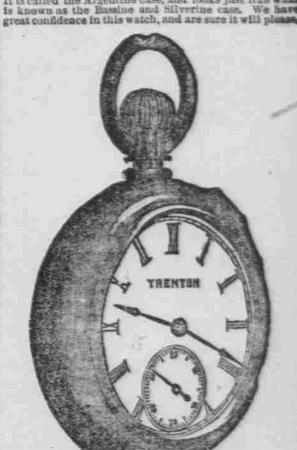
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